

## Habitat Management (CSP Enhancements) Colorado Enhancement Activity Job Sheet H-3

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## Maintain Perennial Vegetation In and Around Wet Areas

Payment = \$25.00 / Acre / Year for each acre where perennial vegetation is maintained around wet areas.

Perennial vegetation in and around wet areas increases the likelihood of wildlife using the area. The perennial vegetation provides escape cover, nesting areas, and may have some food value for many wildlife species. At least two species will be grasses native to the ecological site. Smooth bromegrass and crested wheatgrass may not be introduced on a site and will not compose more than 10% of existing stands.

This enhancement will extend at least 30 feet perpendicular to the wet area into the upland and will cover 90% or more of the perimeter of the wet area. Management activities may be conducted between July 15<sup>th</sup> and September 1<sup>st</sup>. Vegetation must be 20 inches tall or higher by September 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Documentation Required:** Use the following Table for documentation. Attach additional job sheets to specify how the dominant plant species will be maintained or established (as needed) and how and when management activities will be conducted.

Tract & Field Numbers	Perennial Vegetation Acres	List the Dominant Plant Species-Existing or Planned	Management Activities
T457 – 1	5	Big bluestem, Canada wildrye	Interseed big bluestem in 2005
T457 – 1	5 (3)(8)(	Big bluestem, Canada wildrye	Mow weeds between July 15- 30, 2006

## **Prescribed Grazing System Certification**

I certify that I have developed a prescribed grazing system as explained above.

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